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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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2. Applicant claims small entity status. (See 37 CFR 1.27)

3. Specification *Total Pages* 46

4. Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) *Total Sheets* 16
(Figs. 1-16)

5. Unsigned Declaration and Power of Attorney
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b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
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Signed statement attached deleting Inventor(s)
named in the prior application, see
37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate

8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission

a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)

b. Specification Sequence Listing on:

i. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate; or

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18. **CONTINUING APPLICATION.** If continuing application, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

a. Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: _____

b. Prior application information: Examiner Name: _____ Group Art Unit: _____

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10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)

11. English Translation Document (if applicable)

12. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:
a. IDS By Applicant (PTO/SB/08A or PTO-1449)
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13. Preliminary Amendment "A" to
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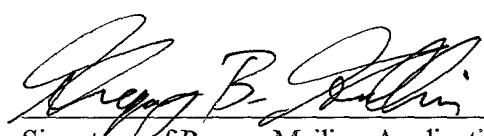
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